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1 SEVENTY-FIVE persons have paid an internal revenue liquor tax to the United States collector at Sioux City. Another tangible proof that prohibition does not prohibit in Iowa.

WITH candidates as thick as the leaves of the forest, the judges of the district court should have no difficulty in selecting competent men for park commissioners.

Socialists have torn down the royal standard of Holland, and a Nihilist conspiracy has been punctured by Russian officials. Truly, these are busy times for the monarchial hangman.

REPORTS from all points in the wheat and corn belts of the west, are of a cheering character. Copious rains have dispelled the fears of drought and vastly improved the prospect for a bountiful harvest.

FOUR years ago stone paving cost nearly four dollars per square yard. This year it can be laid for two dollars and seventeen cents. In other words, the outlay to be made for paving this year will go nearly twice as far as it did four years ago.

AFTER a long and exhaustive contest Boston has granted a franchise for electric motor street railways, with the overhead wire system. This means that the picturesque and resthetic Hub will in a few years have about four hunfired miles of road operated by electricity, through a wilderness of poles and wires.

THE BEE admires the pluck and push displayed in late years by the people of Nebraska City, and has cheerfully noted and commended every enterprise which promoted her general growth and prosperity. To insinuate that this paper knowingly circulated a falsehood concerning a Nebraska City industry is simply absurd.

FROM all indications the fast express trains between Omaha and Chicago have not only come to stay but their number has been increased. The Iowa railroads have at last arrived at the conclusion that rapid transit is no longer an experiment. The withdrawal of that service a few weeks ago is acknowledged to have been a mistake.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL WANAMAKER is reported to have come to the conclusion that what the country wants is not cheaper postage, but a better service. It is found that while a reduction of letter postage to one cent would be universally acceptable it can not be made without seriously impairing the revenues of the postoffice department and incidentally affecting its efficiency. The truth is that the present postage rate is the least burden of taxation of which American people have reason to complain.

THERE is no law barring relatives of the president from office. The wild cries of democratic organs against the appointment of Carter Harrison, as marshal of middle Tennessee, is not only indecent but inconsistent, in view of the fact that they did not reprove Cleveland for providing for his relatives. Marshal Harrison is a resident of Tennesse, was indersed for the position by men of both parties, is thoroughly qualified to perform the duties of the office, and earned the right to recognition by brilliant services on southern battlefields.

SOUTH DAKOTA is to be at once precipitated into the throes of a prohibition campaign. The executive committee of the prohibition party has engaged Hon. George W. Baine, of Kentucky; Hon. A. G. Wollenborger, of Lincoln, Neb.; Hon. George C. Christian, of Chicago; George, W. Woodford. of Illinois, and others, including "Hector," the colored orator known as the "Black Knight," of California, to make addresses throughout the territory prior to the constitutional ratification. The object of the party is to secure the retention of the prohibition clause in the Sioux Falls constitution if that thould be adopted, or the insertion of a similar clause in any new constitution that may be framed. The liberal element is also active, and the contest over this single clause will be second to none other, excepting, perhaps, the

election of United States sonators.

A WESTERN MAN WANTED A number of commercial organizations in various parts of the country have endorsed the recommendation that a man of experience in practical affairs, one well versed in que stions of transportation from the merchants' point of view, be appointed to the vamission. There are certainly some good reasons why business men should desire the appointment of a commissioner qualified by a business experience to represent their interests intelligently in the solution of questions in which they are vitally concerned. But more important than the question whether the new commissioner shall be a lawyer or a man of practical affairs is that of the section from which he shall be taken. Shall he be selected from the east, which was represented by Mr. Walker, or from the great west, which has had no representation on the commission? The president has been asked to con-

sider the claims of the west for this appointment, and if he gives them the careful attention to be expected, he can hardly fail to be convinced that this section is entitled to be represented. Its great commercial and transportainterests, which are steadily tion and rapidly developing, make a greater demand upon the attention of the inter-state commission than those of any other section, and this will increase with the growth of these interests. It is no reflection upon the present members of the commission to say that the vast and increasing commerce and transportation of the trans-Mississippi country would be better understood, and would be likely to receive more careful consideration, if they were represented by a man familiar with their extent and having some adequate idea of their possibilities. The west does not complain of what has been done, though causes might be found for complaint. If its interests have failed to receive their due consideration, and it has not secured exact justice, the explanation is to be found in an inadequate knowledge of its distinctive conditions and requirements. It would have been different had the west been represented on the commission by a man thoroughly familiar with its interests. The request of this section for such representation is justified by the fairest and soundest reasons. which if fully and clearly presented to the attention of the president can not fail to have great weight with him. The east, the south and the central states are now represented on the commission. The great west has a just claim to recognition which it earnestly and confidently

NOT EQUALLY DIVIDED.

urges.

According to the report that reaches us from Chicago, Secretary of War Proctor labors under the impression that the people of Omaha are about equally divided with regard to the proposed relocation of Fort Omaha. The honorable secretary is misinformed on that point.

The petition signed by several hundred citizens and business men, in favor of removing the fort to a point two miles below Bellevue, does not in any way represent the real sentiment of our business men and property owners. They were induced to sign that petition upon the representation that the abandonment of the present fort was irrrevocably determined upon by the general of the army and the war department, leaving the alternative of losing the fort altogether or locating it near Bellevue.

If the choice were left to the business men of Omaha to say whether the present fort with its beautiful drillgrounds, shady drives and costly buildings, shall be dismantled and abandoned for a new site, there would not be two per cent in favor of such a scheme. And if it were left to a vote of our citizens not even two per cent of the population would support relocation. citizens of Omaha have sense enough left to realize that the building up of a new suburb in Sarpy county would be a

The manifest interest of every growing city is to concentrate, not to scatter, its population; to reduce the burden of taxation by improvements within its limits that will increase the aggregate tax-list, instead of fostering improvements outside of its limits that do not contribute to the municipal income.

In this case, Omaha would even deprived of whatever revenue is derived indirectly by the county. We refer of course to the revenue from the buildings that would be erected and improvements made in the neighborhood of the new fort in Sarpy county.

There is another very palpable reason why Omaha is not equally divided on the proposed relocation of Fort Omaha. This city is not interested in fostering rainbow railroads, and least of all a bridge scheme that would tend to cut off considerable traffic and help to build up a boom town in an adjoining county. There is room enough for three hundred thousand people within the twenty-five square miles now embraced within our city limits.

CULTIVATING LOCAL TRAFFIC. One of the most interesting points presented to the attention of the senate railroad investigating committee was that of the president of the Erie road. who said the railroads are giving too nuch attention to through competitive business and not enough to building up their local trade. It is only recently that the Eric management has departed from the general practice and given greater attention to local traffic, and according to the president of that company the result has been in the highest degree satisfactory and profitable. He stated that the competitive business of his road was small in comparison with other kinds of business, and that the road made more money out of the hundred million tons of coal carried than out of

all the through business. The Eric company is not the only one that has had a similar experience, but while all railroad men are aware of this, they generally appear to be little influenced by it. The struggle for through business is maintained with undiminished vigor, regard-

less of whether it result in profit Yet it must be obvious that the road which has a local traffic to sustain it need give itself little trouble about through competitors, and there are few roads that are not in a position to create such a traffic. It is a fact admitted by the most intelligent observers of railroad policy, and by many railroad managers, that one of the most serious mistakes of that policy has been the neglect of local interests. It furnished one of the strongest reasons for the inter-state commerce act, and it has been a potent cause of the complications and difficulties that have entered into the railroad situation. It is believed by the president of the Erie, and by others, that if the railroads of the country were to adopt the policy of carefully fostering local traffic, as some of them have successfully and advantageously done, pooling would no longer be deemed a necessity, rate wars would be far less likely to occur, discriminations would largely cease, prosperous communities would be multiplied, and the prosperity of the roads would be advanced. But this obviously wise policy makes slow growth, although its merits are admitted, and its general adoption, if that shall ever take place, will be a matter of the remote future. Meanwhile it is of interest to note that largely by reason of adopting this policy the Erie road is able to comply with the requirements of the inter-state commerce act without complaint or embarrassment.

THE people of North Dakota are strongly in favor of adopting in their new constitution a duplicate of the clause in the constitution of Nebraska, which provides for the submission of preference of a United States senator to the electors at the general election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of a United States senator from the state. It is suggested that the July convention put such a clause in the new constitution in order to pro vide for the submission of senatorial preference at the November election. The purpose of this is plainly to give the people of Dakota the chance to express directly their preference for senators, and, in a measure, instruct the legislature as to the voters' choice. The experience of Nebraska with this provision of the constitution has been far from satisfactory. The indifference of the legislature on one or more occasions to respect the will of the people as registered by their vote, is still fresh in mind. The neglect of the electors to indicate their preference, and the failure of judges and clerks of elections to make proper returns, has made this section of the constitution of little value. It is one thing to enunciate the people's choice for United States senator, but it is another thing to make the legislature carry this popular will into effect.

PROF. DODGE, government statistician, has prepared a tabulated statement showing the condition of stock throughout the country. It confirms what is generally known that the extremely mild and dry weather during the winter months was particularly favorable to stock on the plains of the west. Of the seven million head of cattle grazed on the north, central and southern ranges, the losses from all causes amounted to a fraction over three per cent. The actual loss on account of storms was about one and a half per cent, the lowest on record. - The report shows that ranchmen are generally providing winter shelter and feed, and guarding against the destructive storms which in years past swept away their profits in a day. In this same region there are nearly seven hundred thousand horses and nearly ten million sheep grazed, and over two hundred thousand hogs. The losses in horses were one and seven-tenths per cent, sheep four and eight-tenths per cent, and hogs three per cent. These figures present a most favorable record for the west. and demonstrate that in stock raising as well as in other departments of activity, we can give profitable lessons in industry and thrift to the people of the east while supplying them with juicy chops

and roasts. MONTANA and Washington territories, as well as the two Dakotas, will to-day elect delegates to the constitutional conventions to meet July 4. South Dakota has a ready-made constitution which it is expected will be adopted with almost entire unanimity, in which case the president may by proclamation admit that territory to statehood, but the other territories will have to frame constitutions which will be voted on in October. Washington adopted a constitution some ten years ago, but it is not of a character to answer the new conditions and requirements, and a wholly new instrument will be framed. Not much is expected to be developed by these elections of political significance, though, of course. party considerations will enter into them. Individual fitness, however, will be likely to exert more influence than in ordinary elections.

THE people of both North and South Dakota will to-day choose delegates to the constitutional convention to be held on July 4. The present time constitutes an important epoch in the history of the embryo states, and everything pertaining to their future estate which remains to be accomplished should be done carefully. The framing of a state constitution is a work that should be attended with grave deliberation and profound thought. It is therefore to be earnestly hoped that at the election tomorrow the people of the two Dakotas will select representative men to perform this duty. There are within the territory men amply competent to do the work, and they should be the ones chosen.

IT WAS remarked by the distinguished military visitors last week that Omalia without exception was the finest paved city in the country. This is a high compliment. Debarring the several miles of wooden pavement which soone or later must be replaced by more substantial material, Omaba has solved the paving question. In this respect, she is far ahead of any of her rivals, having thirty-five miles of paving and sixty

miles of sewerage. The next duty is to Jack, why don't you try to get on a jury!" beautify squares and angles for breathing spots and to create parks and boulevards for our environments. In this respect Omaha is sadly deficient. She has, on the whole, provided well for her necessities; it remains for her to do as much for her sightliness.

THE assistant secretary of agriculture calls attention to the possibilities of introducing the cultivation of flax, and encouraging the manufacture of linen in this country. There is no reason why linen making should not become one of the staple industries of America. Nearly all the linen we use is imported from Ireland and Germany. Were it manufactured here, the probabilities are that its production would be increased, its price cheapened, and a greater consumption assured through improved processes and appliances in the making

One Short. Philadelphia Times.

It has hitherto escaped notice that until Perry Belmont gets home from Madrid there will only be 399 people in New York.

> Texas French. Chicago Tribune.

The Galveston News says the duchess of Marlboro was "nee the 'Widder Hamersley." This is, perhaps, the first recorded instance of a woman having been born a widow.

He's a Practical Officer. Kansas City Times.

The telegraph is employed to spread the

news that the secretary of agriculture yesterday took a scythe and mowed a wide swath down the lawn before the department

This Marriage Was a Failure. Albuquerque (N. M.) Citizen.

Edward Marriage, a San Diego contractor, s missing, and has left behind him debts aggregating about \$5,000. There seems to be no doubt that in this case at least Marriage is a failure.

Why Blaine Didn't Go.

Chicago Times.
Mr. Blaine did not accompany the president to Fortress Monroe. He had to remain for the purpose of presenting Minister Lincoln to Melord Pauncefote.

Protecting the Horse's Tail.

Chicago Herald.

The Massachusetts legislature has passed a law prohibiting the cutting off of horses tails. The mutilation of the nandsome caudal appendage of the horse is a species of barbar ity, and the "Old Bay" state naturally takes the lead in this great reform.

HITS AND MISSES.

We have a mathematical problem for the graduates of the High school class. According to the Republican's circulation inflator, there was a gain of over four thou-

sand subscribers to its daily last summer Between March 2, 1889, and May 11, 1889 there was another gain of 3.731, making in all a gain of about eight thousand since last

And now the patent inflator swears to a total circulation of 8,314. The question is, how many dailes did the Republican circu-late before it sarted on the race with the World in throwing papers by the handful into back and front yards?

Ground has been broken for a mammoth block on the site of the old New York dry goods store on Farnam street. Mr. Mill has decided to erect a magnificent building, which will overshadow the surrounding structures by several feet, and give Omaha a sample of genuine public spirit, lofty purpose and enterprise regardless of ex pense. For years Mr. Mills has been provoked by the monumental blocks which en dear the name of Hanscom to the people, and he has at last decided to go Andrew Jackson one story better. Mr. Mills' block will be two stories in the clear. It is not improbable, if the supply of bricks holds out, that an artistic cupola will adorn the front, surmounted by a statue of the owner. Omaha is to be congratulated on the lavish en ergy and public spirit of Mr. Mills. His determination to outshine . Hanscom is commendable. It may eventually result in a

three story rivalry. Three great events are expected to-morrow, which will add much to the growth and greatness of Omaha. The park commissioners will be named, city hall plans adopt ed and a decision may be rendered in the postoffice site question.

"A most delightful spot." "The finest l have seen in the west." "It is a perfect oasis!" Such were the exclamations of Secretary of War Proctor, after he had viewed the beauties of Fort Omaha last Saturday. The grass on the parade ground freshened by the recent rains, the perfect arch of shade trees over the drives, the cleanliness of the surroundings, all shone to the best advantage under the rays of a clear noon-day sun. Surmounting all and waving a hearty salute, was a sixty-foot flag on the staff of the hospital. floating full in the breeze, with a sky of spotless blue for a background. The scene was an inspiring one, and must have convinced the distinguished guests of the folly of moving the fort. Commissioner Anderson is evidently convinced that if the county takes care of the pennies the dollars will take care of themselves. The Paully job is a sample of Ander son's ability in driving the spigot and with

drawing the bung. Tramps in these parts are pigs in clover The authorities of Council Bluffs and Omaha prefer their room to their company, and are engaged in mutual exchange of the migratory horde. The tramps enjoy the luxury of frequent free rides, and do not complain while the lunch baskets of conductors and engineers are within reach. A more effective remedy for the auisance would be to dump them on the division line between the two cities—the middle of the Missouri-or make them pound stone.

AIDS TO DIGESTION.

Detroit Advertiser: He-You're always growling about the lodge. She-Oh, no. The lodge is all right. He-Well, my late hours, then. She-I don't care about that, even, but it does annoy me to get up to let you in and find the milkman at the door.

Washington Critis: At the Berlin Conference-Chairman Bismarck-Well, gentlemen, the question before the conference, I be lieve, is Samon; Commissioners (unanimously)-Samoa what? Chairman -Samoa beer, of course. Here waiter. (Loud laughter in the galleries.

San Francisco Wasp: Cook (next day after her arrival) -"I'm often a little basty madam, and then I'mapt to be saucy, but you needn't mind-you can make me a little present and then I get pleased again." Troy Press: Saughbones-You seem to be fairly fascinated with that skeleton in the

corner. What makes you look at it so intently? Patient (starting)-O, nothing-I vas wondering if it was one of your patients. Harper's Bazar: Young man (looking over hotel register-"I see that Joshoua Crawfish of Crawfishville, is stopping here. Vhere can I find him! He's an uncle of mine." Clerk-"I think you will find him in the elevator; he's been riding up and down all the forenoon."

Judge: Wiggins-"If you're out of work,

Jack Borrowit-Can't. I read the papers every day, looking for a job, and what law yer would accept a man of that kind?"

Judge: Mrs. Bobley-"I see, John, that there is a strong movement towards the abolition of the high hat." Mr. Bobley (with recollections of a certain bill)-"Yes, bu bonnets are just as high as ever."

Ocean: The gentle wave of a lace-edged pocket-handkerchief has carried more poor fellows to their doom than the mighty break ers at the sea.

Pittsburg Dispatch: Amaieur Hubert-Me lud, five moons were seen to-night, four fixed and the other didn't whirl! Muffled voice from the audience-Did jever-hic-try

Terra Haute Express: Some of the "Sanitary Science" people have been agitating the question of making bathing compulsory. It won't work. It was tried in Noah's time, and the only people, who escaped with their lives were those who kept out of the water. Norristown Herald: A Polish writer of

stories recently received an envelope containing \$10,000 "from an admiring reader." If some of our fleshly school of female writers want to receive such substantial tokens of appreciation from admiring readers, they must put more Polish in the novels. Harper's Bazar: Brown-"Your teache

can't be such a mean man as you make out I notice his son has all the toys he can pos sibly need." Little Johnnie-"Why, dad, those are what his father takes away from the other boys."

Detroit Free Press: Boarder (cracking an egg)-"Well, I declare!" Waiter (excitedly) -"What is it?" Boarder-"Why this egg has a double yelk." Waiter-"Pooh! that's nothin'-gen'lman's yistiddy had a chicken.' STATE AND TERRITORY.

Colfax county has 2,112 boys and 1,996 girls of school age. The Osceola creamery has been sold to company of capitalists.

Nebraska Jottings.

A camp of Sons of Veterans has been mus tered in at Table Rock. The contracts have all been let for a sixty parrel roller mul at Republican City. Milford is making a struggle to secure the ocation of the Masonic orphans' home.

The farmers of Chadron precinct, Dawe

county, have sown 5,846 acres to wheat and The Fairfield Call is urging the lovers of base ball in Clay county to form a county

league. The movement for the Sunday closing of

saloons has struck Valentine, and steps are being taken to enforce the law. The Bohemian hall at Verdigre was destroyed by fire, but whether it was caused by lightning or incendiarism is not known. THE WEEKLY BEE began to buzz at Alma last week. L. E. Martin will harvest the honey in the capacity of editor and manager. The Masonic lodge at Tecumseh is in a flourishing condition, with a membership of 102, and the number increasing each month. The numerous rumors of new enterprises at Verdon have awakened the business men that place and they have organized a board of trade.

Aurora now has five banks, and the Exchange bank will soon be reorganized, with a paid up capital of \$75,000, and become the Aurora State bank, opening for business

The wife of S, W. Tinkham, of Hartington, disappeared mysteriously the other night, and her husband is hunting for her in neighboring towns. He believes that she is The Bank of Ravenna is soon to be merged

with the First National of the same place, with a capital of \$50,000, and O. M. Carter,

T. H. Delahoyde, of Blue Hill, made a trade the other day and secured a fine resi-dence, but before he had been its owner twenty-four hours, a streak of lightning came along and smashed the house into flinders. The Talmage Tribune tells of a case of cussed meanness near that town, a watch tinker smashing up his furniture with an ax just to spite his wife. The woman, however lead so hard with the editor that the name of the man was suppressed. A White Cap letter has been received by

C. A. Schooley, owner of the Harrisburg town site, county seat of Banner county warning him to desist in persecuting the editor of the World, or he would be "shot down like a dog" and his town laid in ashes. Creighton is all agog over a strange appari-tion in the shape of a black cap, or moonshiner, which appears at all times of night dressed in a long rubber gown, heavy boots and a tight fitting mask over its face. No

one has had the temerity to attempt to capture the strange being, as yet. The bank of Tama has suspended.

Sioux county will build nineteen bridges The Corning Methodists light their church ov electricity. One man has 25,000 bushels of corn in crib

The mayor of Early proposes to cork the coles in the wall in that town. An improvement company with a capital of \$250,000 has been organized at Onawa. The Nineteenth Iowa infantry holds its regimental reunion at Birmingham in

Forty acres of potatoes have been planted on the state farm at the independence insanc asylum this year. Laywers evidently have a hard time in Ida

Grove as one of the legal lights of that town offers to herd cattle during the summer. A Sioux City syndicate has been formed to construct a pontoon bridge across the Missouri at Yankton, and the city council has passed an ordinance appropriating \$100 a mouth for ten years to pay for building and

Some boys in Beaver township, Dallas county, caught a big henbawk alive and un injured the other day. One of them proposed o get his father's five-year-old rooster, which had always been victorious heretofore, and have a cock fight, which was done. For two r three rounds the hawk succeeded in keep ing off his adversary, but the rooster finally got mad and tumbled the hawk over with one dash of his spurs.

maintaining the structure.

Beyond the Rockies. Late frosts have badly injured the fruit crop in eastern Oregon. There are indications of natural gas Ogden, and a scheme is on foot to sink

Many of the fruit trees at Dayton, Nev., have been ruined by small, green bugs of unknown species.

John McCoy, a pioneer of Lynn county, Oregon, who has lived in that county since 845, is dead, aged seventy-four. Over half a million dollars is to be expended on Tacoma's street railways this year. Twenty-one miles of track are to be

The irrigating ditches near Ellensburgh, W. T., are full of large salmon, and the town boys are having regal sport Landing twenty

A boat load of book beer was unloaded at Astoria last Wednesday. The fishermen drauk so much that they couldn't catch a single salmon.

According to a Helena paper, there is a growing belief that Montana is a finer sum-mer resort in the winter and a finer winter resort in the summer than any other place on the face of the earth. Ex-Chief of Police Mitchell, of Seattle,

claims that he was removed because he re-fused to be bribed not to arrest gamblers. His successor is now raiding the gambling places with much ostentation. The day when a man could make asy-where from 10 to 1,000 per cent profit by cutting up land into town lots in southern California is past, according to a well-in-formed business man, and the people are now getting down to business by developing the

New Treasury Officials at Work. WASHINGTON, May 13 .- Judge Matthews, who succeeds Judge Durham as first comptrollar of the treasury, and Huston, who succeeds Hyatt as treasurer of the United States, entered upon the discharge of their duties this morning.

Quinlan Forfeits His Bond and Kitty Again in Custody.

TWO IMPORTANT DAMAGE SUITS.

The Beemer Canning Company-Nev Notaries Public-Peter Johnson in Limbo - City News and Notes.

LANCOLN HURBAR OF THE OWARA RES. 1029 P STREET, LINCOLN, May 13.

Kitty Quinlan, who served her sentence the county jail, having been convicted of petit larceny at the last term of the district court, was released a few days ago, the sheriff having forgotten that there was another charge against her. This morning, however. Attorney Stearns demanded the prisoner, and there was consternation for a moment when it became known that she had quietly meandered away. Sheriff Melick rustled in his usual vigorous manner, and succeeded in locating her among some of her Omaha friends. In doing this the wires were freely used. Sheriff Coburn was tele-graphed to put alippery Kitty under prompt arrest, and Melick left this afternoon for

The District Court. The case of John K. Barr vs F. S. Potvin and L. C. Burr, came up for hearing on a motion this morning. A motion had been filed to strike out a portion of plaintiff's petition. On hearing, however, it was overruled. Plaintiff will have to make his plea nore specific when this fairly interesting case will be on.

case will be on.

Quinlan's case for grand larceny and receiving stolen goods was also called, but Mike failed to appear, and his bend, signed by Patrick Desmond and Thomas Carr, was declared forfeited. A certificate signed by Dr. Edmisten, of Omaha, however, was filed certifing that Quinlan was confined to his bed with malarial fever, and would not be out for two weeks or more. Thereupon County At-torney Stearns entered a nolle prose qui in the case of the state vs George Kirk, who was indicted with Quintan and Reddy Wilson for grand larceny, and this prisoner was dis-

The case against W. P. Kief, charged with selling liquor without license, was then called, but failing to appear, his recogni-zance was also declared forfeited.

The trial of Richard Fitzsimmons, the Waverly murderer, has been continued until Puesday of next week, and it will then probably be laid over for the term.

Thomas Denison filed his petition in the

district court to-day, against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad company for \$6,000 damages. It will be remembered by \$6,000 damages. It will be remembered by the readers of Тив Выс that on the 3rd day of last April a young girl named Annie Den-ison was killed near Greenwood by a Burlington passenger train that had been be-lated by an accident. The petition states that the road where the accident occurred ran through a deep cut, and that the girl, who was returning from school, did not see the train approaching because of the em bankment, and several cars on the side Nellie C. Chapman, wife of Claude Chap-

man, the Burlington conductor who was killed at Waverly on the 6th day of last month, has also commenced suit for damages in the sum of \$5,000. The plaintiff charges the defendant with gross carelessness and negligence in this: The night of the acci-dent was very dark, and that it was necessary for Mr. Chapman in the discharge of his duties to walk upon the top of the cars; that the drawheads between the two cars, which parted and allowed him to fall to his death below, were old and worn out, the drawhead of one being in an unusually dangerous and unsafe condition, and that the coupling pin used was too small for the hole in the drawhead.

J. J. Butler also filed his petition to recover the sum of \$800 from Steiner & Schmitz, which he alleges is long past due and wholly unnaid.

Beemer Canning Company. The Beemer Canning company has com plied with the laws of the state, and is now a legally incorporated institution, engaged in the canning business at Beemer, Cuming county. Articles were filed in the office of the secretary of state to-day. The capital stock authorized is \$10,000, which is divided into shares of \$25 each, and the sum of \$5,000 has been paid in hand. Incorporators: F. J. Fitzgerald, A. D. Beemer, H. Hancer, W. D. Gibbon and Albert Brass. The company will continue business until a majority of the stockholders decide it advisable to quit.

Arrested For Forgery. Peter Johnson was arrested here last night

on information from York, where he is wanted for forgery and burglary. Johnson has an unsavory reputation wherever known, and especially in this city. He is of the cute order of the colored race, but commits his devilment in a reckless, high-handed madner, and generally escapes punishment. It is learned that there is enough in the charges against him now to send him to the peniten-tiary for a term of years. The shoriff of York county came in, to-day, and returned the prisoner to York, where he will be put on trial for his crimes, as stated.

City News and Notes. Attorney-General Loese is in Omaba on business before the United States district

The druggists' conference is already an assured success. Exhibits are being placed

rapidly and arrivals are noted on every train. The following case was filed for trial in the supreme court to-day: George Vallindigham et al vs William G. Scott; error from Rich-

ardson county,
The commissioner of public lands and buildings is sending out about 8,000 notices to delinquents on school lands in the various counties of the state. This means forfeiture if they do not come to time within six months from the date of notice. Notice will be

from the date of notice. Notice will be given by publication for releasing.

George Bowerman, deputy auditor of public accounts, is in Springdeld, Ill., where he was called to attend the bedside of his mother, who is lying very ill. Mr. Bowerman will be from his post of duty several days, or until his mother is so far recovered as to neguit his return. as to permit his return.

Sheriff Coburn and D. T. Mount, of Omaha, were in Lincoln to day.

The Omaha Insurance company met in the auditor of state's office to-day to complete its organization. The company performed the requirements of the law, and a certificate was given permitting the transaction of business in the state.

Thomas county has sent in a history of her court house bonds, which has been registered in the auditor's office and approved by the auditor and secretary of state.

O. Frost, of Bartley, Red Willow county, the court of the secretary of state. was in Lincoln to-day to register \$2,000 worth of canal bonds. The canal, which has been described by THE BEE, is for the purpose of creating a reservoir and water power at or near Bartley, on the Republican river.

Broke Down and Confessed. CANTON, O., May 13 .- Frank Ryan and Harry Sadler, two young men arrested yesterday upon a charge of attempting to wreck the New York and Chicago limited vestibule train on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad twice recently, broke down this morning and made a confession, giving the details of their crime. The detectives will arrest three other young men to-day who have been under surveillance.



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